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Examiner : Not yet assigned
Group : 1653
Applicants : Michael S. Su et al.
Serial No. : 09/642,749
Filed : August 18, 2000
For : METHODS FOR DESIGNING INHIBITORS OF
SERINE/THREONINE KINASES AND TYROSINE
KINASES

New York, New York
February 26, 2001

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☒ a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment; ☐ a Reply to Office Action; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment; ☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a Power of Attorney; ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

☐ A fee for additional claims is not required.

[X] A fee for additional claims is required.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	25	-	20	*	= 5	X \$ 9	= \$45.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	-	3	**	= 0	X \$ 40	= \$0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+ \$135	= \$0
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* If less than 20, insert 20.

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response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a); [] \$945.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

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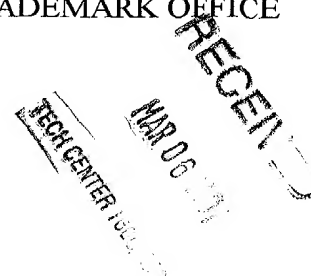


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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examining this application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 16 and 17 as follows:*

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16. (Twice amended) The crystallizable co-complex according to claim 15, wherein said first protein kinase is p38, said second protein kinase is a MAP kinase and said inhibitor is a pyridinyl-imidazole inhibitor of p38.

* An "Appendix of Amendments" is enclosed at Tab A, showing the amendments to the claims. In the Appendix, the added portions are underscored and the deleted portions are bracketed.